

Grace & Beauty

A Classy Rag
BY
James Scott.



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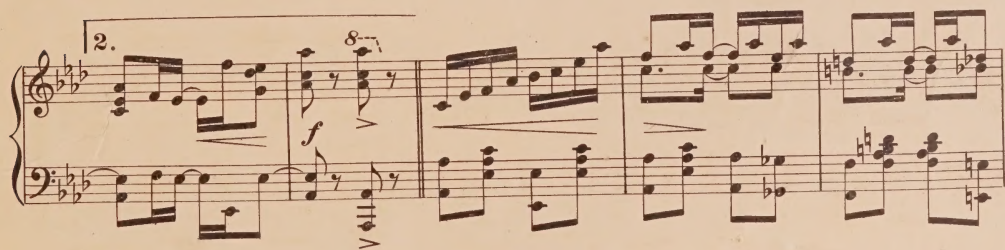
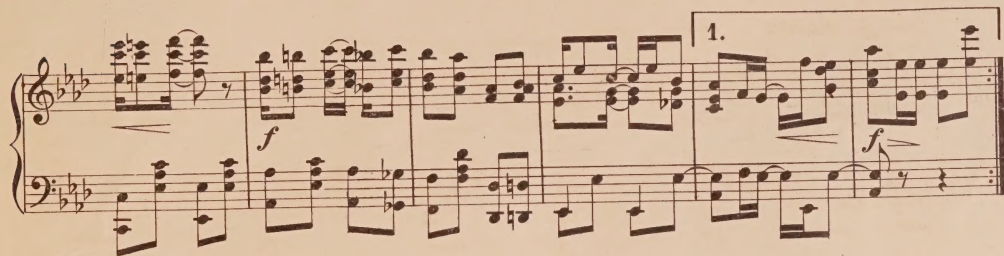
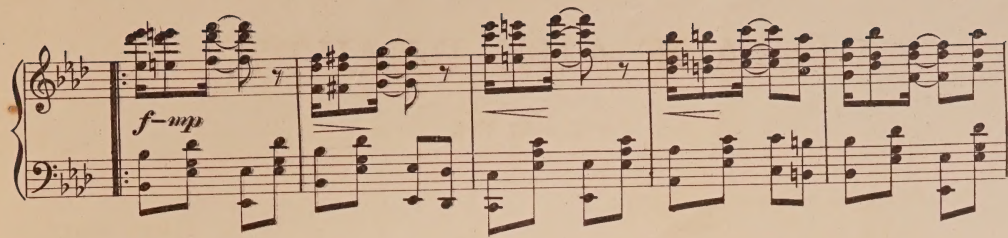
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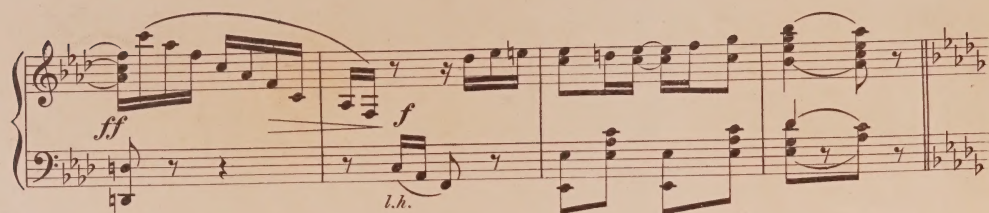
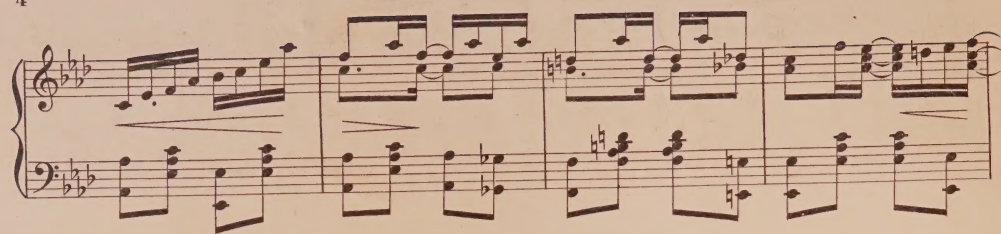
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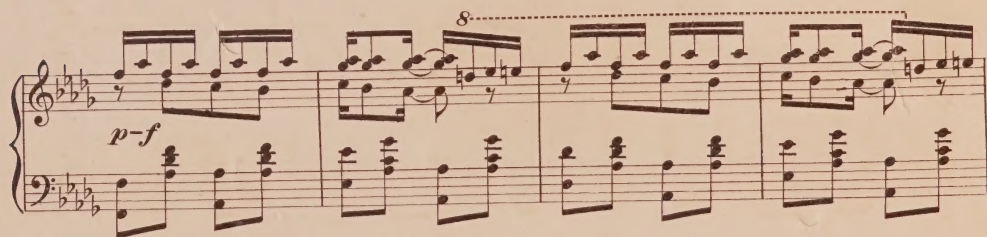
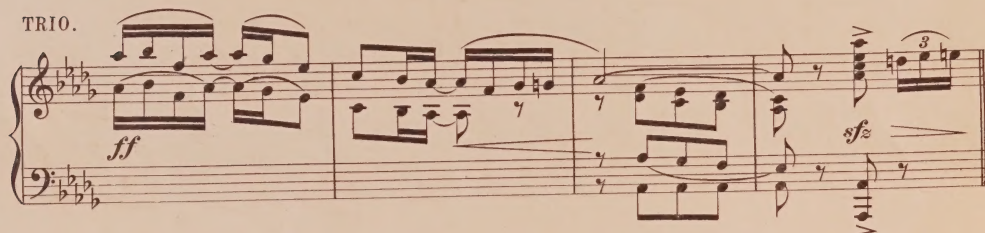
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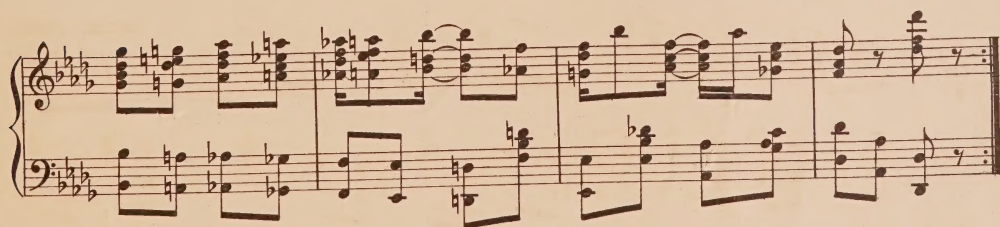
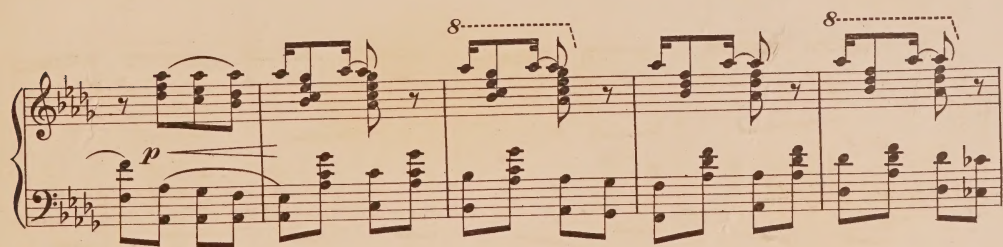
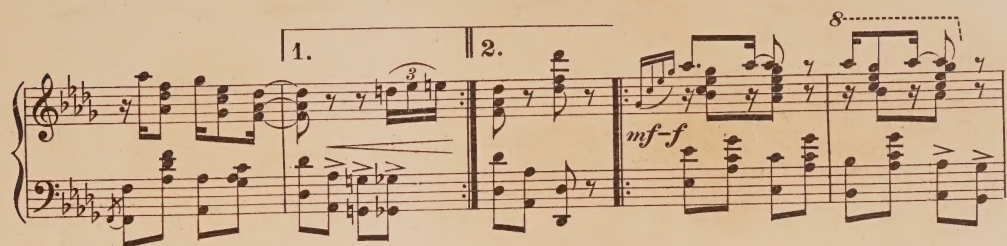
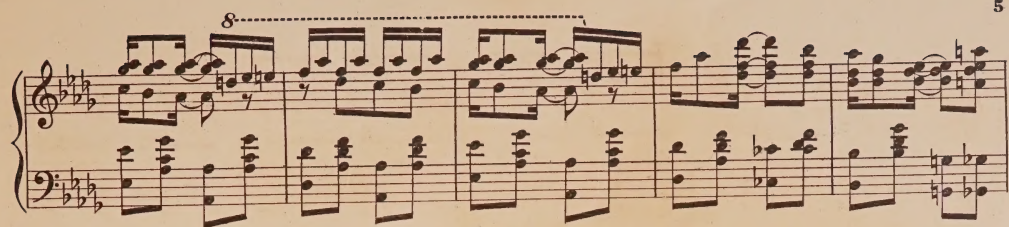
The musical score for "Grace and Beauty" is written for piano in 2/4 time. It consists of four systems of music. The first system begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic, followed by a *l.h.* (left hand) section, then a mezzo-piano (*mp*) section, and ends with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) section. The second and third systems continue the piece with various dynamic markings and articulations. The fourth system concludes with a double bar line and two endings, marked 1. and 2. The piece is characterized by its 'classy' ragtime style, featuring a steady bass line and a more complex, syncopated melody.





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Have you heard "Frog Legs," "Ragtime Betty" or "Grace and Beauty?" Behold, a better piece than either is here. Don't sleep until you get it.

The drawing for the title page is by the New York artist and cartoonist, Clare Victor Dwiggin, the creator of the comic series running in the metropolitan papers called "Ophelia," who is also the creator of the series "School Days." This title page is printed in three colors and is altogether the most unique production of the kind ever published. It sells at sight.

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By JAMES SCOTT.

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